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Letter dated 28 November 2018 from the Chargé d'affaires a.i. of the Permanent Mission of the Russian Federation to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General

I have the honour to transmit herewith information bulletins from the Russian Federation Ministry of Defence regarding the status of implementation of the memorandum on the creation of de-escalation areas in the Syrian Arab Republic for 27 and 28 November 2018 (see annex).

I should be grateful if you would have the present letter and its annex circulated as a document of the Security Council.

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Information bulletin from the Russian Federation Ministry of Defence regarding the status of implementation of the memorandum on the creation of de-escalation areas (27 November 2018)

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The Turkish representative office has reported six incidents of gunfire: three in Aleppo Governorate and three in Hama Governorate.

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Over the past 24 hours, the Centre for Reconciliation of Opposing Sides and Refugee Migration Monitoring has carried out one humanitarian operation: in Aftris, Damascus Governorate, 450 food parcels with a total weight of 1.95 tons were delivered.

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